## STATUS OF THE CLAIMS

- 1-6. (Canceled)
- 7. (Previously Presented) A method of treatment, comprising:
  - a) providing:
    - i) a mammal having symptoms of sepsis,
    - ii) a therapeutic preparation, comprising anti-TNF- $\alpha$  and anti-IL-6 antibodies; and
    - iii) administering said preparation to said mammal wherein said symptoms are reduced.
- · 8. (Original) The method of Claim 7, wherein said therapeutic preparation further comprises anti-IFN antibodies.
  - 9. (Original) The method of Claim 7, wherein said mammal is a human.
  - 10. (Original) The method of Claim 7, wherein said administering is performed intravenously.
  - 11. (Original) The method of Claim 7, wherein said administering is performed orally.
  - 12. (Original) The method of Claim 7, wherein said administering is performed parenterally.
  - 13-14. (Canceled)
  - 15. (Original) The method of Claim 7, wherein said antibodies are polyclonal antibodies.
  - 16. (Original) The method of Claim 15, wherein said polyclonal antibodies are avian antibodies.

- 17. (Original) The method of Claim 16, wherein said avian antibodies are chicken antibodies.
- 18. (Original) The method of Claim 17, wherein said chicken antibodies are derived from chicken eggs.

## 19-33. (Canceled)

- 34. (Previously Presented) A method of treatment, comprising:
  - a) providing:
    - i) a mammal having symptoms of sepsis,
    - ii) a therapeutic preparation, consisting of anti-TNF- $\alpha$  and anti-IL-6 antibodies, and one or more inactive ingredients; and
    - iii) administering said preparation to said mammal wherein said symptoms are reduced.
- 35. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 34, wherein said inactive ingredient is bovine serum albumin.
- 36. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 34, wherein said mammal is a human.
- 37. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 34, wherein said administering is performed intravenously.
- 38. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 34, wherein said administering is performed orally.
- 39. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 34, wherein said administering is performed parenterally.

- 40. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 34, wherein said antibodies are polyclonal antibodies.
- 41. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 40, wherein said polyclonal antibodies are avian antibodies.
- 42. (Previously Presented) A method of treatment, comprising:
  - a) providing:
    - i) a mammal having symptoms of sepsis,
    - ii) a therapeutic preparation, comprising polyclonal anti-TNF- $\alpha$  and polyclonal anti-IL-6 antibodies; and
    - iii) administering said preparation to said mammal wherein said symptoms are reduced.
- 43. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 42, wherein said therapeutic preparation further comprises anti-IFN antibodies.
- 44. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 42, wherein said mammal is a human.
- 45. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 42, wherein said administering is performed intravenously.
- 46. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 42, wherein said administering is performed orally.
- 47. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 42, wherein said administering is performed parenterally.
- 48. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 42, wherein said polyclonal antibodies are avian antibodies.